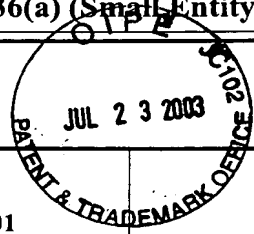


# COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)

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In Re Application Of: G. Chidichimo et al.



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Invention: METHODS AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE MEASUREMENT OF THE THREE-DIMENSIONAL  
DISTRIBUTION OF THE TEMPERATURES WITHIN DIELECTRIC MEANS

## TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 01/02/2003 in the above-identified application.  
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: April 22, 2003  
Date

until: July 22, 2003  
Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☐ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL CLAIMS	12 -	20 =	0	x \$9.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	3 =	0	x \$42.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$465.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$465.00

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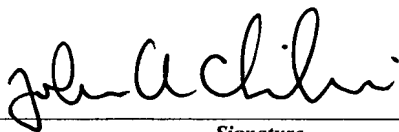
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TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$465.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of **\$465.00**  
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- ☐ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☐ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-5425** A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.



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